

for such violation may be committed to the Town Jail or to the County Jail until the same be paid. The Council is authorized and empowered to appoint some Justice of the Peace resident in North Beach to be Police Magistrate for said Town and contract with him with respect to his compensation in lieu of the fees now provided for by law, provided that if no such Police Magistrate be appointed or if he shall be absent or unable to act then his duty may be performed by the Mayor or any Justice of the Peace of Calvert County.

214. The Council, acting through the Mayor, shall have the power at any time to suspend, remit or release the said fines, penalties or forfeitures and costs, or any part thereof at discretion.

215. The Council may provide by ordinance for the issuance by the Mayor or Police Magistrate of search warrants when such Mayor or Magistrate shall be satisfied by affidavit or otherwise that ordinance of the Council or law of this State shall have been violated by the person or on the premises to be searched.

216. Any party subjected to a fine, penalty or forfeiture by virtue of any of the provisions of this Act, or any ordinance pursuant thereto, shall have the right to appeal, except as otherwise herein specifically provided, within thirty days thereafter to the Circuit Court of Calvert County, and shall have the right, if he so elect, to a trial by jury, upon giving ample security for the payment of such fine, penalty, forfeiture and costs as may be adjudged against him in said Circuit Court; provided that when any fine is collected because of the violation of any ordinance of North Beach, it shall be forthwith transmitted by the officer collecting the same to the Treasurer of North Beach.

217. All ordinances of the Council shall take effect from the date of passage unless otherwise provided therein. The Clerk shall post a copy of each ordinance at the Town Hall and all ordinances shall be open to public inspection.

218. All elections conducted under the provisions of this sub-title shall be subject to the provisions of the Corrupt Practices Act of Maryland, in so far as the same may be applicable to the provisions of this sub-title.